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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)

MICHINORI SHINKAI)

Application No.: 09/895,184)

Filed: July 2, 2001)

For: DISCOUNTING SYSTEM,)
DISCOUNTING DEVICE,)
DISCOUNTING METHOD,)
DISCOUNTING PROGRAM, RECORD)
MEDIUM, CARTRIDGE, PRINT)
CONTROLLER, PRINT CONTROL)
METHOD, AND PRINT CONTROL)
PROGRAM)

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